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ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES

	1908	1909
Cost of administration	$260,396.33	$285,965.20
Part of cost received from the City	160,000.00	200,000.00
Amount supplied from other sources	$100,396.33	$85,965.20

THE USE OF THE MUSEUM BY THE PUBLIC

a. Total Attendance

On Pay Days (Mondays and Fridays).

	1908	1909	Decrease	Increase	Average
Paid admissions	28,457	46,490		18,033	469
Members	625	1,067		442	
Members' complimentary tickets	1,946	4,282		2,336	
Schools, by special card	2,067	2,518		451	
Students, by special card	2,952	3,339		387	
Persons on business	3,035	2,896	139		
	39,082	60,592			

On Free Days.

Week Days (Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, including holidays)	452,495	513,168		60,673	2,420
Evenings	17,879†	31,169‡		13,290	510
Sundays	308,353	332,954		24,601	6,282
Total,	817,809	937,883		120,074	

† Includes the attendance on one Monday and thirteen Wednesday evenings during the Saint-Gaudens Exhibition.

‡ Includes the attendance on nine evenings during the German and Hudson-Fulton Exhibitions.

b. Annual attendance since 1880

From 1880 to 1892, inclusive	5,767,975
1893	559,267
1894	511,881
1895	526,488
1896	503,316
1897	555,769
1898	511,298
1899	540,060
1900	571,500
1901	593,946
1902	663,197
1903*	802,900
1904	724,058
1905	744,042
1906	761,476
1907	800,763
1908	817,809
1909	937,883
Total	16,893,628

*The year in which the Fifth Avenue Extension was opened.

c. Holiday Attendance

	1908	1909
January 1	5,019	4,719
Lincoln's Birthday	5,900	7,004
Washington's Birthday	10,549	12,571
Memorial Day	2,248	5,364
July 4	1,841	2,857
Labor Day	5,526	6,144
Election Day	3,403	6,067
Thanksgiving Day	3,318	2,954
Christmas	2,326	1,185
	40,130	48,865

d. Evening Attendance

1909	Monday	Other Evenings	Saturday	Totals
January	3,700*		2,591	3,700
February			2,539	
March			1,077	
April			897	
May			1,066	
June			1,000	
July			1,884	
August			1,391	
September	2,700**		984	2,700
October			4,169	
November		1,534***	5,093	1,534
December			544	23,235
Totals	6,400	1,534	23,235	31,169
Averages	(2) 3,200	(7) 219	(52) 447	(61)

*German Exhibition. **Hudson-Fulton Reception.

***Hudson-Fulton Exhibition Special Openings, Nov. 22-26, 29, 30.

THE USE OF THE MUSEUM BY STUDENTS

a. Copyists

	1908	1909
Permits issued	1,215	1,109
Copies and studies made	1,545	1,588
Average daily attendance	39	32

b. Photographers

Permits issued	67	63

c. Library

General Readers	2,741	2,950
Staff of the Museum	1,512	1,707
Totals	4,253	4,657

d. Teachers with Classes

On Pay Days	1,796	2,518
On Free Days	3,831	5,378
Totals	5,627	7,896

e. Museum Instructor

Appointments with individuals (in groups or alone)	(44) 135	(66) 280
Appointments with classes	(35) 438	(56) 1,473
Totals	573	1,753

MEMBERSHIP

Class	No. of Members Jan. 1, '09	Loss by Deaths or Resignations.	Gain by New Members or Renewals.	Total Jan. 1 1910.	Increase	Loss	Amount Received 1909
Fellows in Perpetuity.....	321	16	6	311		11	$ 5,000
Fellows for Life.....	136	4	16	148	12		5,000
Fellowship Members.....	76	9	10	77	1		7,350
Sustaining Members.....	243	5	23	261	18		6,250
Annual Members.....	2,356	80	249	2,525	169		22,260
Totals.....	3,132	114	304	3,322	200	11	$45,860

STATISTICAL TABLES

ACCESSIONS OF OBJECTS OF ART

Classes	Bequests	Gifts	Purchases	Totals
Antiquities—Egyptian		430	2,569	2,999
" —Greek and Roman		3	70	73
Architecture		1	23	24
Arms and Armor		15	16	31
Ceramics	13	16	164	193
Clocks and Watches		4	1	5
Costumes		2	2	4
Drawings		11		11
Enamels			1	1
Glass (including 7,020 beads as one item)		4	12	16
Jewelry			86	86
Lacquers		1		1
Leatherwork			1	1
Medals, Medallions and Plaques		110	20	130
Metalwork	2	8	38	48
Miniatures		1	2	3
Miscellaneous		1		1
Musical Instruments		18		18
Paintings	1	29	25	55
Reproductions		3	136	139
Sculpture		7	26	33
Textiles		756	3,824	4,580
Woodwork and Furniture	1	1	33	35
Totals	*17	†1,421	7,049	8,487

* Number of persons from whom bequests have been received..... 4
† Number of persons from whom gifts have been received..... 87
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ACCESSIONS TO THE LIBRARY

	Bequests	Gifts	Purchases	Totals
Books		121	1,573	1,694
Photographs		5,637	1,238	6,875
Drawings		9		9
Totals		*5,767	2,811	8,578

* Number of persons from whom gifts have been received..... 66

LOANS*

Antiquities—Egyptian	9
" —Greek and Roman	6
Arms and Armor	6
Ceramics	311
Drawings	21
Enamels	152
Glass	4
Medals, Medallions and Plaques	3,435
Metalwork	186
Paintings	46
Photographs	1
Sculpture	106
Textiles	30
Reproductions	2
Woodwork and Furniture	30
Total	4,345
* Number of persons from whom loans have been received	64

COMPARATIVE TABLES

a. Accessions of Objects of Art

	Bequests	Gifts	Purchases	Totals
1908	19	1,964	3,703	5,686
1909	17	1,421	7,049	8,487
Increase over 1908	..	.....	3,346	2,801
Decrease from 1908	2	543	.....	.....

b. Accessions to the Library

	Bequests	Gifts	Purchases	Totals
1908	..	1,938	5,989	7,927
1909	..	5,767	2,811	8,578
Increase over 1908	..	3,829	.....	651
Decrease from 1908		.....	3,178	.....

c. Loans of Objects of Art

1908	922
1909	4,345
Increase over 1908	3,423

STATISTICAL TABLES

CORPORATION MEMBERS ELECTED DURING THE YEAR 1909

Fellows in Perpetuity

Names	Elected	Qualification
Baltazzi, S. A. Warner	Dec., 1909	Successor to Mrs. Emma E. Baltazzi.
Franksen, Rudolf	Feb., 1909	Gift by Edward D. Adams.
Frick, Henry Clay	Oct., 1909	Gift.
Lawrence, Henry C.	June, 1909	Successor to Cyrus J. Lawrence.
Robbins, Geo. D. Phelps	Oct., 1909	Successor to George D. Phelps.
Seligman, Miss Katherine	Feb., 1909	Successor to Theodore Seligman.
Smith, Mrs. Wheeler	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Sturgis, Danford N. B.	Apr., 1909	Successor to Russell Sturgis.

Fellows for Life

Names	Elected	Qualification
Blakeslee, Theron J.	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Borden, M. C. D.	June, 1909	Gift.
Burbige, Miss Virginia Marie	Jan., 1909	Gift by J. Pierpont Morgan.
Case, Henry P.	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Clark, William A.	Dec., 1909	Gift.
Dodge, Miss Grace H.	June, 1909	Gift.
Harding, J. Horace	Dec., 1909	Gift.
James, Mrs. Julian	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Kirby, Thomas E.	June, 1909	Gift.
Loeb, James	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Luckmeyer, Mrs. Edward	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Osborn, Mrs. Wm. Church	June, 1909	Gift.
Saltus, J. Sanford	Dec., 1909	Gift.
Sturgis, F. K.	Dec., 1909	Gift.
Winthrop, Grenville Lindall	Feb., 1909	Gift.
Woerishoffer, Mrs. Anna	June, 1909	Gift.